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In re Application of

HSUAN-MING SHIH : DECISION ON RENEWED

Application No.: 10/500,421 PCT No.: PCT/CN02/00546

Int. Filing Date: 07 August 2002 : PETITION UNDER

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For: A PORTABLE DATA CONVERSION : 37 CFR 1.182

WITH STANDARD DATA PORT

This is in response to applicant's submission "RESPONSE TO DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.182" filed on 23 March 2005, which is being treated as renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.182. This submission states that there are two ways of translating the inventor's Chinese name into English name: 1) XUANMING SHI (used in mainland China) or 2) "HSUAN-MING SHIH (used in Taiwan).

## **BACKGROUND**

In a decision from this Office on 03 March 2005, the decision indicated that the application could not enter into national stage at that time since it was unclear if the current name was a result of a transliteration error because both the given and family name are different from what was published in the PCT application.

On 03 March 2005, this renewed petition was filed and states that there are two ways of translating the inventor's Chinese name into English name: 1) XUANMING SHI (used in mainland China) or 2) "HSUAN-MING SHIH (used in Taiwan). Applicant states that in the international application, PCT/CN02/00546, the name "XUANMING SHI" was used but inventor prefers "HSUAN-MING SHIH."

## **DISCUSSION**

The preferred name of the applicant "HSUAN-MING SHIH" will be reflected in the US national stage processing. This is the name that has been used in the Declaration.

For the reasons above, the application may enter into national stage processing at this time.

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## **CONCLUSION**

The petition under 37 CFR 1.182 is **GRANTED.** 

This application is being returned to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) for continued processing. The 35 USC 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) date of this application is 25 JUNE 2004.

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